

HB 4411

Sherry Sofia

From: jerry tripp <jerrytripp36@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, September 29, 2014 7:19 PM
To: Sherry Sofia
Subject: Re: Henry E. Plant



Hello Sherry,

Please convey, to Rep. Amanda Price, my apologies for not being able to make an appearance at tomorrows meeting.

Since last being in contact with your Office we have been busy raising funding for signage for the Walkway. We, being citizens of Ottawa, County that are associated with the following organizations; Veterans Of Foreign Wars- American Legion- Elks- Eagles- Knights Of Columbus- Sons Of Union Veterans Of The Civil War. We have already established fund raising efforts in all of these organizations and are working on a joint fud raiser to provide ample funds to pay for signs and a trust fund to provide monies to repair or upkeep.

Strong feelings abound for this historic naming and we, the residents of Ottawa County, applaud your passing of this bill.

Thank you,
Gerald E. Tripp

From: gerald tripp [mailto:geraldtripp@hotmail.com]
Sent: Monday, June 9, 2014 10:04 PM
To: Sherry Sofia
Subject: Henry E. Plant

To Honorable Amanda Price;

Naming of the new "Non -Motorized" walkway, attached to the new Bridge going across the Grand River, is of tremendous importance to the residents of Ottawa County.

Naming of the Walkway after "Sgt. Henry E. Plant" is especially important to the Veterans, Veterans Of Foreign Wars, American Legion and Citizens of Ottawa County. Sgt. Henry E. Plant received the "Congressional Medal Of Honor" for His heroic service above and beyond the call of duty.

He was the very first person in Ottawa County to receive the prestigious medal.

Not only does the "non-motorized pathway" go directly through the farm that he owned, but it ends just below the hill where the tombstone of the Plant family is situated.

No other name is more fitting or deserving than Sgt. Henry E. Plant.

Thank you,
Gerald E. Tripp